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 Emergency Contact
 Numbers

 Police Department
 911

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 614/402-9876

 Utility Department
 614/332-8775

 740/207-1842

Village Council/Committee Meetings Every 1st & 3rd Monday at 6:30 pm Every 2nd Monday at 6:30 pm -Holidays move the week forward by 1



Daylight Saving Time begins at 2:00 a.m. local time on Sunday, March 10th. Turn your clocks ahead one hour. Daylight Saving Time gives us the opportunity to enjoy sunny summer evenings by moving our clocks an hour forward in the spring.

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"Remembering our rural heritage, Ashville will be a vibrant & friendly community, offering an enhanced quality of life achieved through planning, progress & collaboration.

It will be a welcoming place where people want to live and businesses prosper."

The Mayor's Column 752 VIKING

The traffic study at State Route 752 and Viking Way has been completed by ODOT. David Carlin from District 6 reported, "The traffic counts have been processed to determine if a signal is warranted at the SR-752/Lockbourne Eastern intersection. The counts and warrant analysis are attached to this email. This information shows that a traffic signal is not warranted at this intersection. From the feedback I have received on the current 4-way stop condition it is working well. I recommend that we meet again in three to six months to review any issues that may develop and determine how to move forward. Feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss this further."

We did discuss this intersection in our previous Volume 12 Issue 1 Newsletter. The complete message from Mr. Carlin, Traffic Study, Traffic Data, and ODOT Standards can be found on our website. We created a webpage to keep you informed.

Since ODOT has decided that the 4-way stop will remain, Ashville has requested that better signage be added. That request to ODOT included double stop signs, advance notification of the stop sign, and illuminated stop signs.

As reflected in our Vision Statement, we are committed on having an enhanced quality of life. That quality of life is certainly impacted by safe and efficient movement of traffic in or near the Village of Ashville. Any traffic accident at this

location will likely involve the Ashville Police Department and/or the Harrison Township Fire Department. While we hope there are no such occurrence, if there is/are we will track and communicate that information to ODOT.

We will also be involved with any meetings that ODOT purposes to discuss this intersection. I feel at some point in time this intersection will be in the village and we want it to come in safe and efficient. If you would like your voice your opinion contact:

David Carlin, P.E. ODOT, District 6, 400 E. William Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015, 740-833-8345 or email: David.Carlin@dot.state.oh.us

Charles K. Wise, Mayor

Consumer Price Index (CPI) Results in 1.5% Utility Increase

In 2009, Village Council passed an Ordinance that would allow for a method to keep the cost of operating utilities in line with the fees associated with that utility. Ordinance 2009-03 indicates that after December, the sumer Price Con-Index (CPI) is used to determine what is needed to maintain a rate schedconsistent with costs, that adjustment is based upon a December to December average. For 2009 the adjustment was 2.7%,

for 2010 that was 1.5%, for 2011 that was 3.0%, and 2012 that was 1.7\$. The CPI for 2013 is a 1.5% increase. That percentage will be reflected in the next billing cycle. The impact of the rate change can be seen on the table to the right based upon a per 1000 gallons of usage. The Water Tower fee is not impacted by the Therefore, there is no adjustment.

A description of the CPI can be found at www.ashvilleohio.gov

Wastewater Service												
Per 1000	Current	Inside Village	Outside Village									
Gallons	Rate	New Rate	New Rate									
1-24	\$7.11	\$7.22	\$10.82									
25-49	\$7.08	\$7.19	\$10.78									
50-74	\$7.04	\$7.15	\$10.72									
75-99	\$7.00	\$7.11	\$10.66 \$9.90									
100-over	\$6.50	\$6.60										
Water Service												

Per 1000 Gallons	Current Rate	Inside Village New Rate	Outside Village New Rate							
1-24	\$3.34	\$3.39	\$5.09							
25-49	\$3.08	\$3.13	\$4.69							
50-74	\$2.85	\$2.89	\$4.34							
75-99	\$2.62	\$2.66	\$3.99							
100-over	\$2.57	\$2.61	\$3.91							
Water Tower Fee 26d Incide Rate 20d Outside Rate per 1 000										

Infiltration & Inflow (I & I)

A portion of the new total sewer fee will be set aside for I & I. That set aside amount will be 34¢ of the/thousand gallon wastewater fee. The result of that can be seen in the table to the right. You can find more information about I & I on our website ashvilleohio.gov and go to "Department –Utility".

Wastewater Service Billing Breakdown														
Per 1000 Gallons	New Rate	1&1	Balance	Outside Village I & I	Outside Village Balance									
1-24	\$7.22	34¢	\$6.88	53¢	\$10.29									
25-49	\$7.19	34 c	\$6.85	53¢	\$10.25									
50-74	\$7.15	34¢	\$6.81	53¢	\$10.19									
75-99	\$7.11	34¢	\$6.77	53¢	\$10.13									
100-over	\$6.60	34¢	\$6.26	53¢	\$9.37									



Tax Department Reminder

Your Village of Ashville Income Tax return is due on or before April 15th, 2014

Please note:

- The Village of Ashville Return is commonly known as a RITA (Regional Income Tax Agency) return
- The tax rate is 1% against your earned income.
- Taxable income includes (but is not limited to) W-2 income, Schedule Income (C, F, E, etc.), Gambling winnings.
- Credit is not given for taxes paid to the work city.
- Penalty (at 10%) and interest (at 6%) will be assessed against your liability each year if your estimate was not paid in full.
- A late filing fee of \$25.00 per year will be assessed against your account for failure to file by the due date.
- Balance is due by April 15th, and the penalty and interest will continue to accrue until the balance is paid in full.
- Returns can be filed online at www.ritaohio.com, at a RITA office, or at the Ashville Tax Department.
- The School Tax is a separate tax and is administered through the State of Ohio Department of Taxation. Information on the School Tax can be found online at www.tax.ohio.gov/school_district_income.

Feel free to call if you have any questions.

Thank you Patricia S. Cavines, Tax Administrator 740-983-7172



MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT January 2014 & YTD Information

www.ashvilleohio.gov 2013 data and 2014 Statistical Data is Accessible

DEFINITIONS: Incidents Reports (IR): Reports that contain criminal offenses as stated in the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) chapter 29, and the Codified Ordinances chapter 500. Logged Calls (LC): Activities or contacts that do not require a report (court, services of court documents other than warrants, business checks, etc.)

Description	Jan	Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec ${{f YTD}}{{f Total}}$	Projection	Budget	Ave	Mean	Measure					
General Revenue Fund Total	\$122,278	§ \$122,278	\$1,467,340	\$1,652,690	\$122,278	\$122,278	Dollars					
Police Expense 1000-110	\$73,514	\$73,514	\$882,169	\$760,574	\$73,514	\$73,514	Dollars					
Balance	\$48,764	\$48,764	\$48,764	\$892,116	\$48,764	\$48,764	Dollars					
Percentage of General Fund	60.12%	60.12%	60.12%	46.02%	60.12%	60.12%	Percentage					
Expense does not include Utility 1000-730-310, Electricity 1000-130-311, and Telephone 1000-730-321												

Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Projection	Average	Mean	Measure	1
Incident Report	97												97	1,164	97	97	Report	1
Logged Calls	1,957												1,957	23,484	1,957	1,957	Calls	1
Criminal Arrest/Charges	18													216		18	Files	1
Warrant Served/Arrests	3												3	36	3	3	Each	1
Traffic Citations	11												11	132	11	11	Each	1
Parking Tickets	0												0	0	0	0	Each	1
Warning Citations	15													180		15	Each	1
Crash Reports	8												8	96	8	8	Each	1
Code Violations	0												0	0	0	0	Each	1
Patrolled Miles	7,214												7,214	86,568	7,214	7214	Miles	1
Auxiliary Hours	204												204	2448	204	204	Hours	

January 2014 Auxiliary Report

During January of 2014, Officers worked along side full time staff and independently on patrol of the village and special duty. Some were down with the flu and cold weatheritis? Sergeant Rathburn continues as Mayors Court Bailiff relieving a full time unit to patrol duty

Submitted by Larry Rathburn Unit S4

Incident reports listed below:

- 1-1-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on Randolph St.
- 1-2-14: Harassment was reported on N. Long St.
- 1-5-14: Two adult females were charged with disorderly conduct.
- 1-5-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on E. South St.
- 1-6-14: A burglary/B&E was reported on Long St.
- 1-7-14: Suspicious activity was reported on Long St.
- 1-7-14: A juvenile male was charged with disorderly conduct.
- 1-7-14: An adult male and an adult female were arrested for domestic violence
- 1-8-14: An adult male and an adult female were arrested for domestic violence
- 1-9-14: Suspicious activity was reported on Long St.
- 1-9-14: A drug offense was reported on N. Long St.
- 1-10-14: A theft was reported on Miller Ave
- 1-11-14: A neighbor dispute was reported on N. Long St.
- 1-12-14: An adult male was arrested on a warrant.
- 1-12-14: A theft was reported on Long St.
- 1-13-14: Vandalism was reported on Long St.
- 1-13-14: Suspicious activity was reported on Cherry St.
- 1-14-14: Suspicious activity was reported on St. Rt. 752.
- 1-14-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on N. Long St.
- 1-14-14: A burglary/B&E was reported on Jefferson Ave.
- 1-14-14: Prowlers were reported on Ruth Pl.
- 1-15-14: Suspicious activity was reported on Cromley St.
- 1-16-14: A theft was reported on Circleville Ave.
- 1-17-14: A juvenile male was charged with drug possession.
- 1-17-14: An assault was reported on Miller Ave.
- 1-17-14: An adult female was arrested for domestic violence
- 1-18-14: A theft was reported on Miller Ave. 1-18-14: Vandalism was reported on Long St.
- 1-19-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on Ashton Dr.
- 1-20-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on Scioto St.
- 1-24-14: An adult male was arrested for fleeing to elude police.
- 1-25-14: An adult male and an adult female were charged with underage consumption.
- 1-26-14: An adult female was arrested on a warrant.
- 1-26-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on Long St.
- 1-27-14: A theft was reported on Miller Ave.
- 1-31-14: An adult male was arrested on a warrant.
- 1-31-14: Harassment was reported on E. South St.
- 1-31-14: A domestic disturbance was reported on Cherry St.
- 1-31-14: Suspicious activity was reported on W. Main St.